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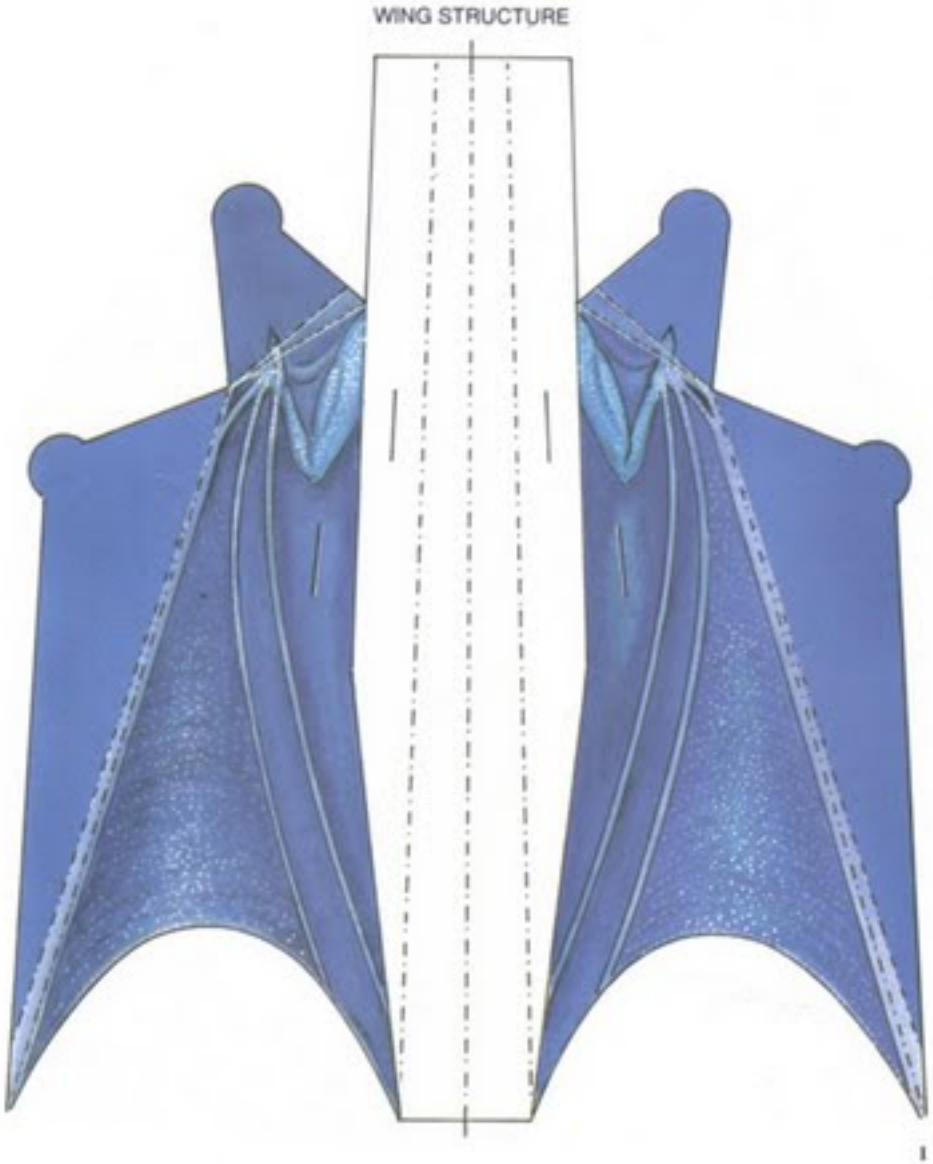
Cut & Assemble Paper Dragons That Fly

8 Full-Color Models
by David Kawami

DRAK

(*Draconis draconis*)



! BEWARE !

Before proceeding, read these instructions, which apply to every dragon in the book.

A. Assemble the following materials:
   - knife (X-ACTO type)
   - scissors
   - scoring tool (dull knife, like a butter knife)
   - straightedge (ruler)
   - white glue
   - toothpicks or fine brush to apply glue
   - #1 paper clips

B. Carefully cut out WING STRUCTURE and BODY STRUCTURE of each dragon. When cutting out the wing structure, cut with the top side facing you. The underside has a little extra area to make sure the solid color reaches the edges. So *never* cut from the back!

C. *Score* along all broken lines. Use straightedge and scoring tool.

D. For each dragon, follow the specific numbered and illustrated instructions.

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1. Fold WING STRUCTURE to the shape shown.

2. Fold both *scored* dotted lines on the wing. REPEAT on all the other wing surfaces.

3. Insert tabs in corresponding slots.

4. Glue center groove.

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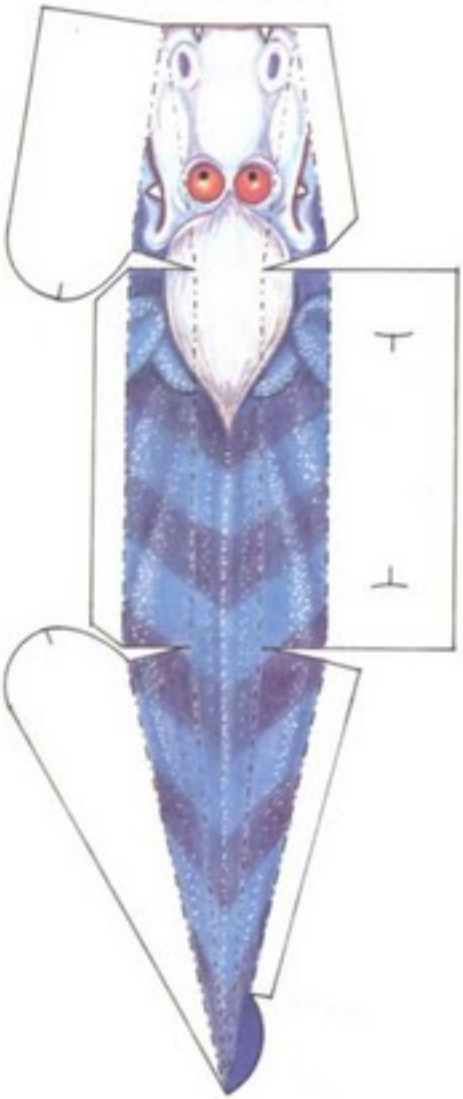
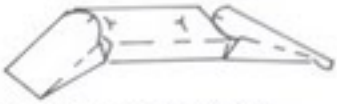
BODY STRUCTURE



5. Fold BODY STRUCTURE on scored dotted lines.

6. Close and glue center section.

7. Close and glue head and tail sections.



8. Line up lines and glue head to body; repeat this with the tail.

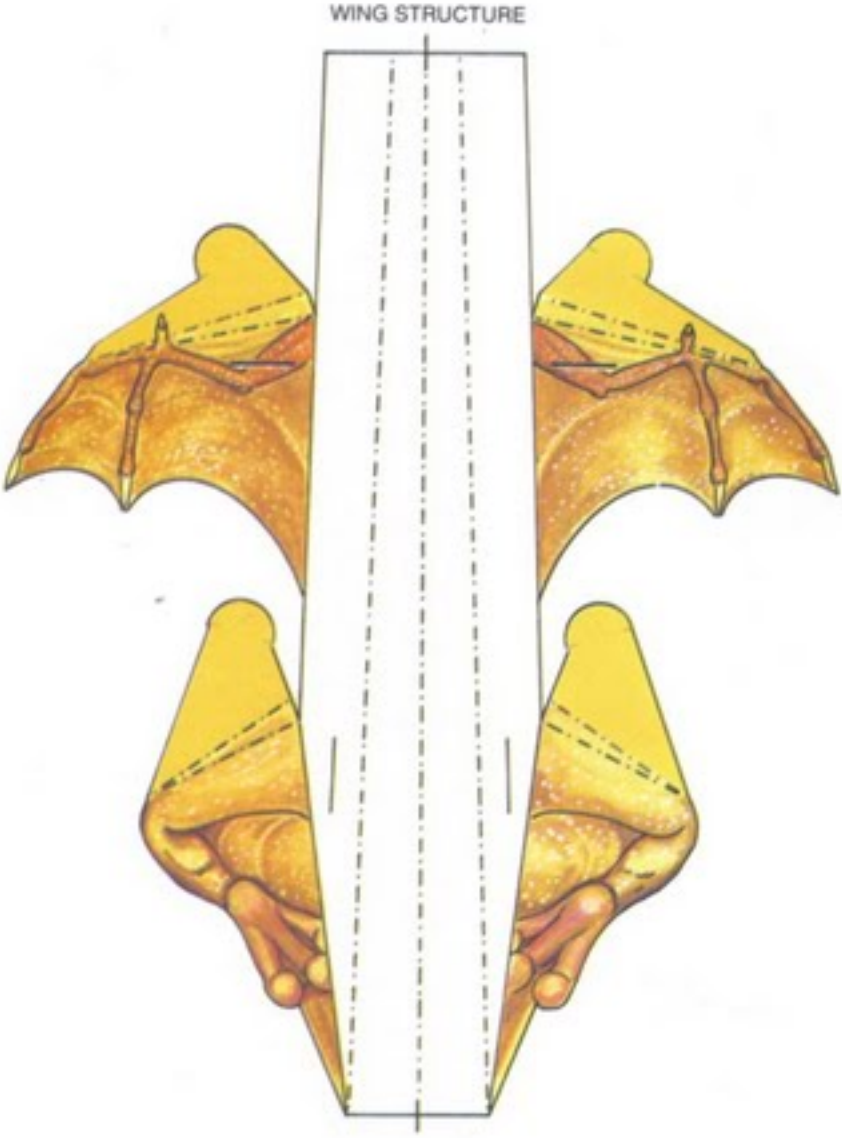
9. Make sure completed BODY STRUCTURE looks like this.

10. Glue completed BODY STRUCTURE to WING STRUCTURE.

11. Attach paper clips as indicated by the arrows. Paper clips on the center ridge should be taped in place.

SUNNY

(*Draconis helios*)



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4. Glue center groove.

5. Fold BODY STRUCTURE on *scored* dotted lines.

6. Close and glue center section.

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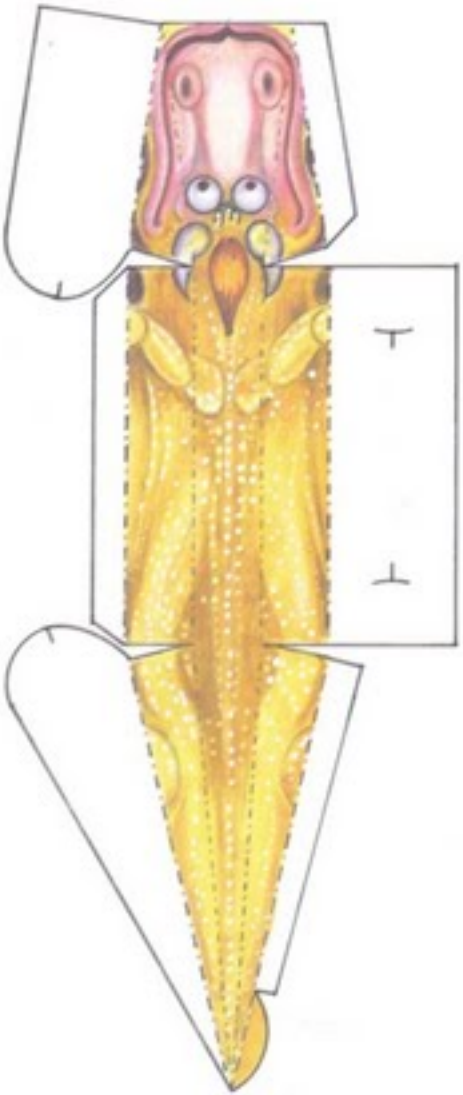

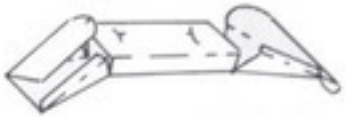

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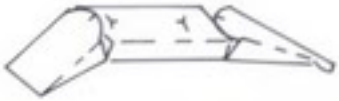

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WINDY

(*Draconis zephyr*)

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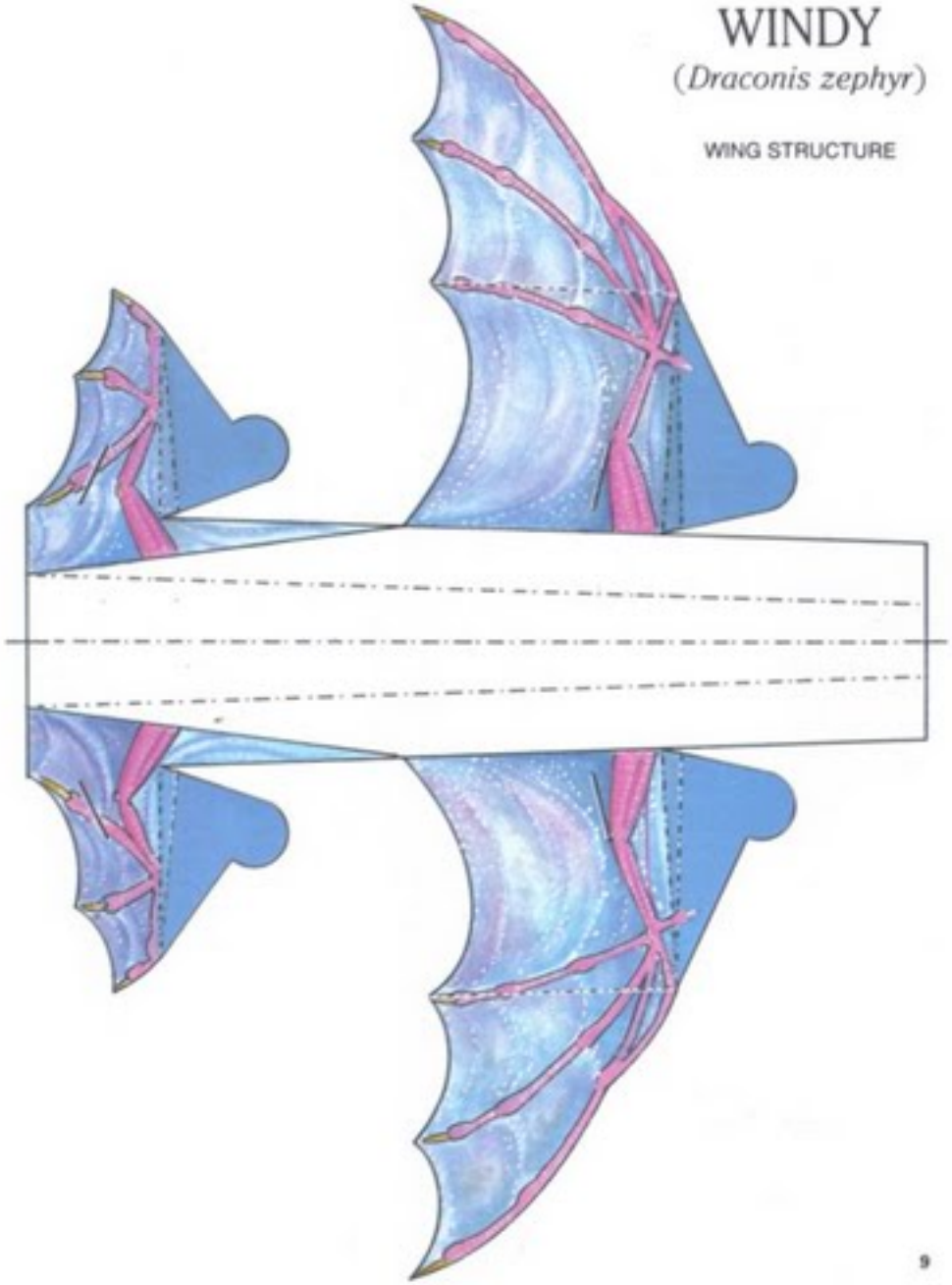

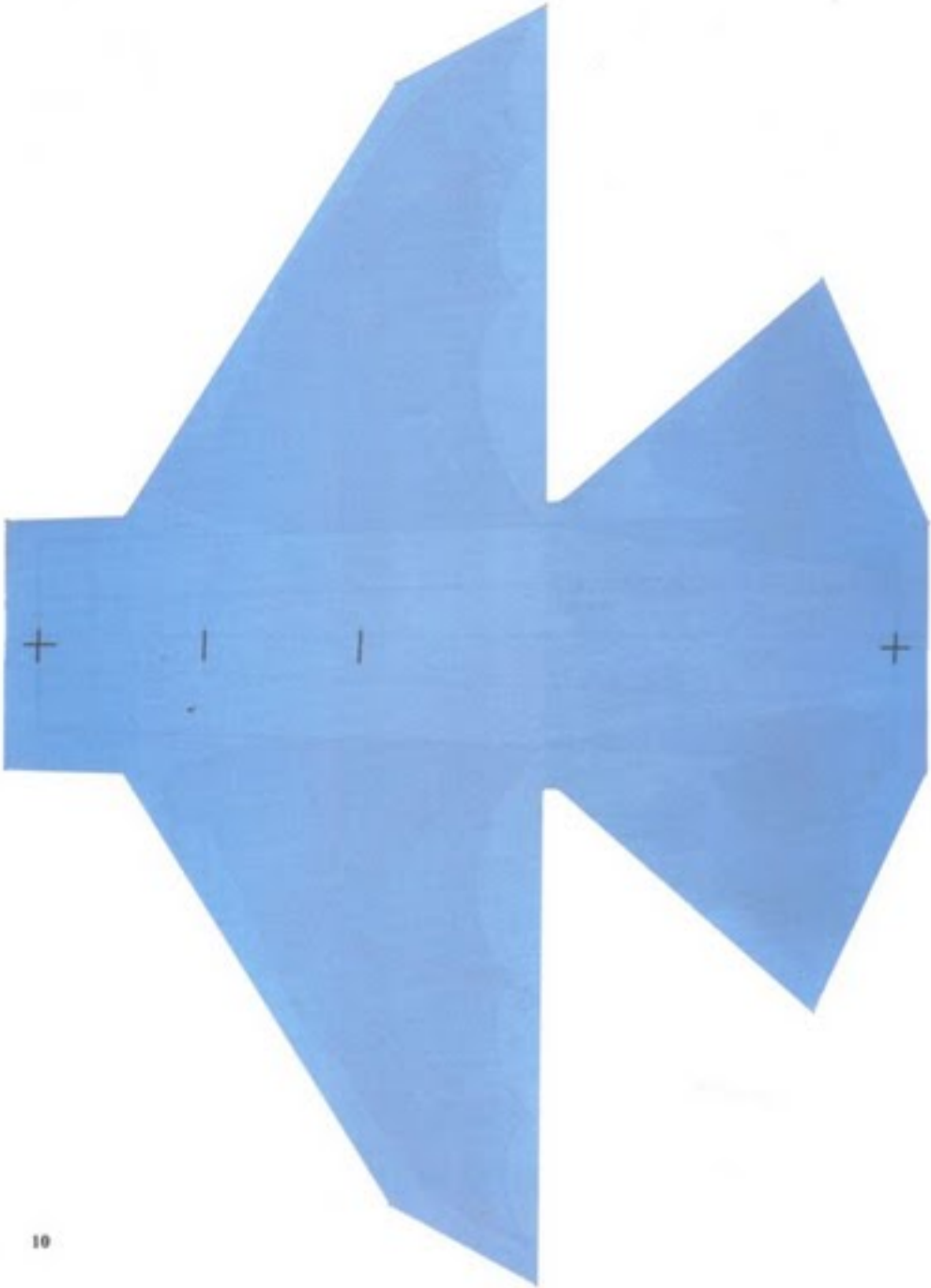

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2. Fold both scored dotted lines on the wing. REPEAT on all the other wing surfaces.

3. Insert tabs in corresponding slots.

4. Glue center groove.

5. Fold BODY STRUCTURE on scored dotted lines.

6. Close and glue center section.

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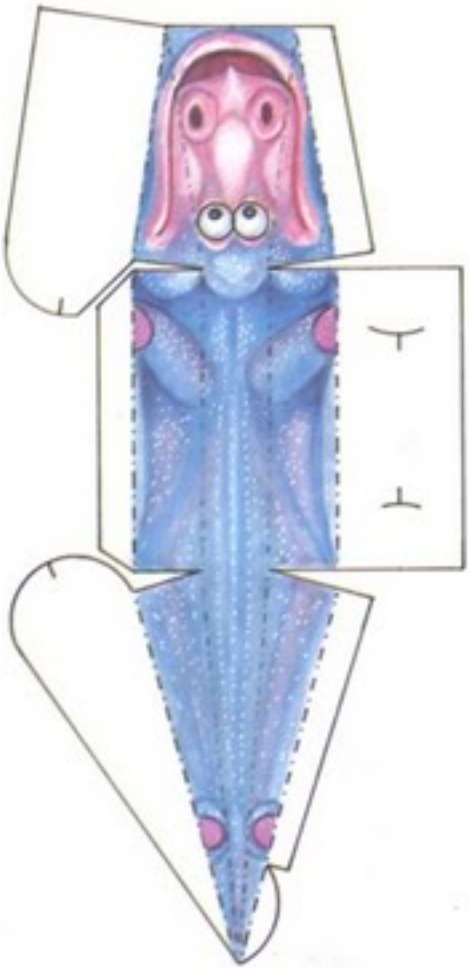

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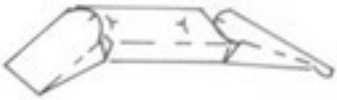

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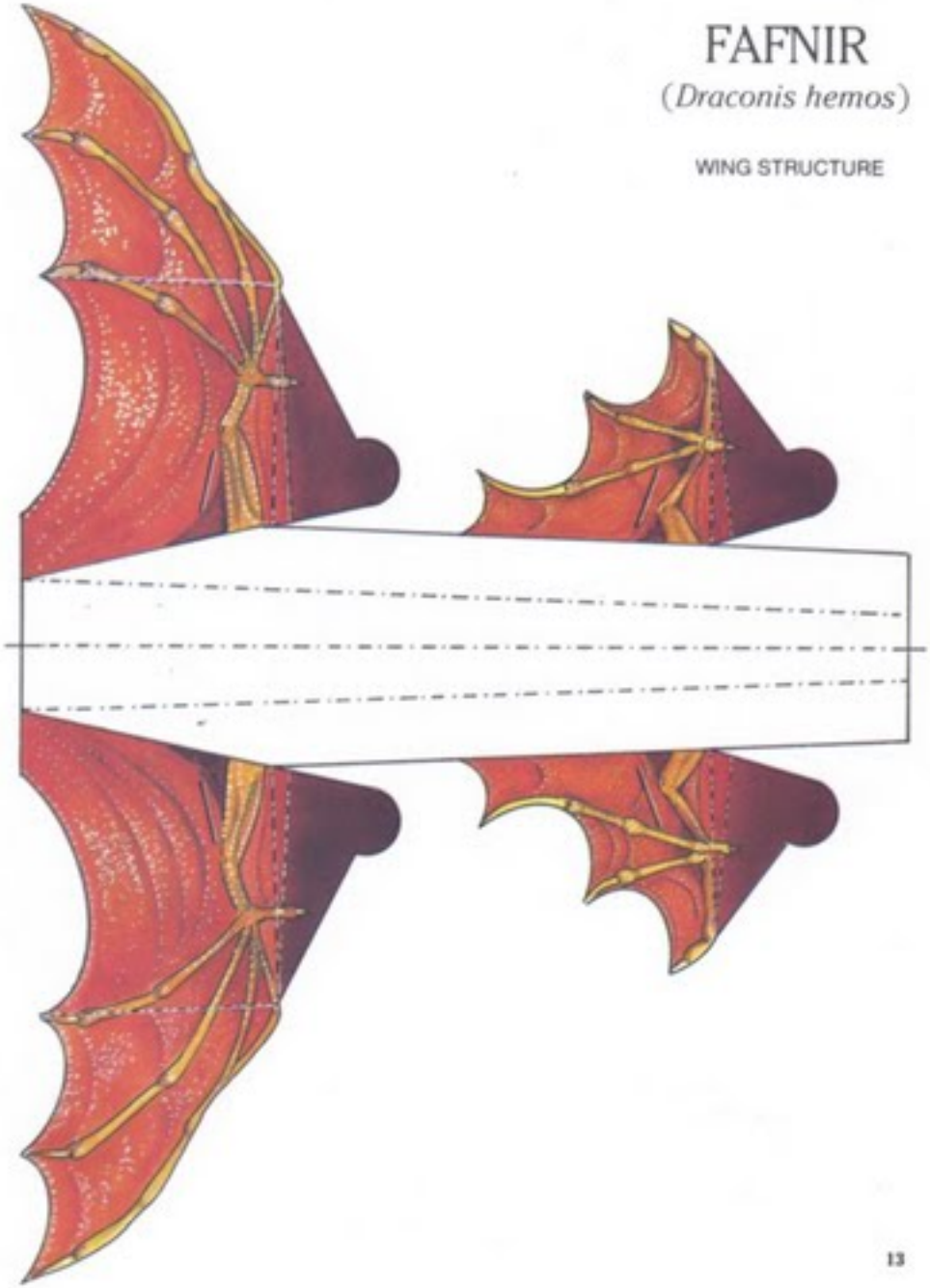
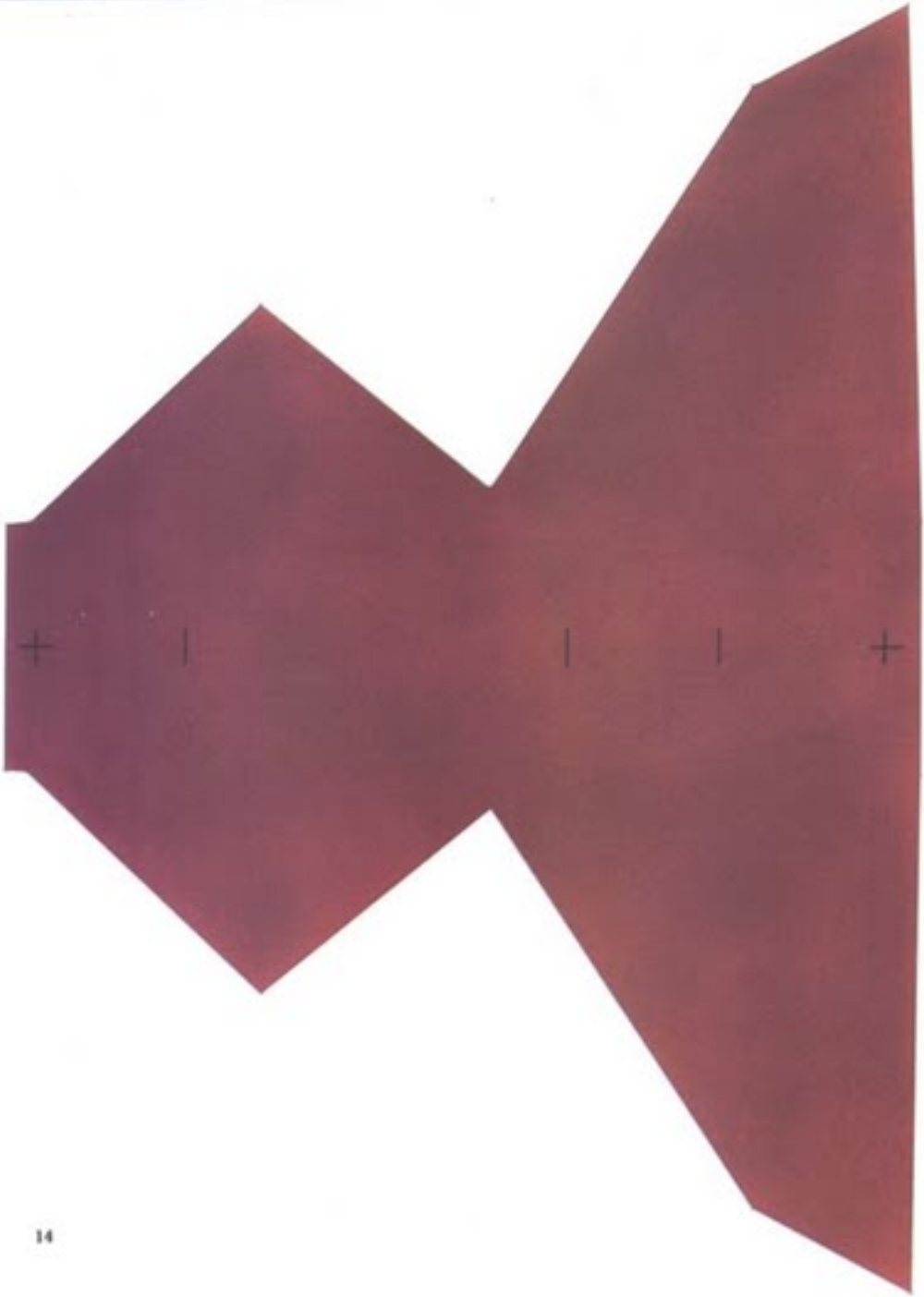
FAFNIR

(Draconis hemos)

WING STRUCTURE





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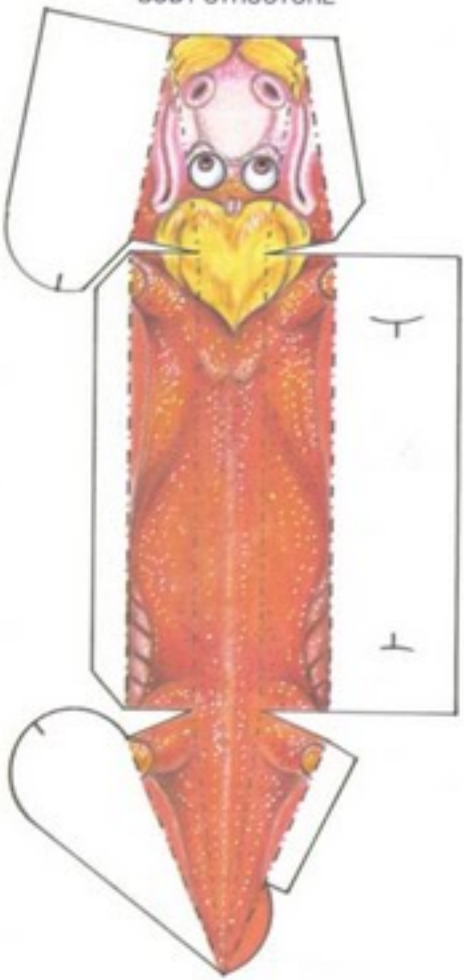

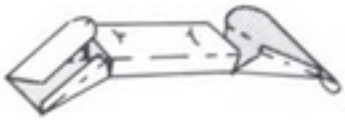

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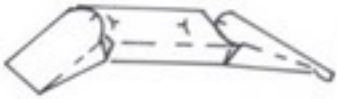

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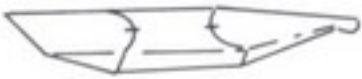

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10. Glue completed BODY STRUCTURE to WING STRUCTURE.

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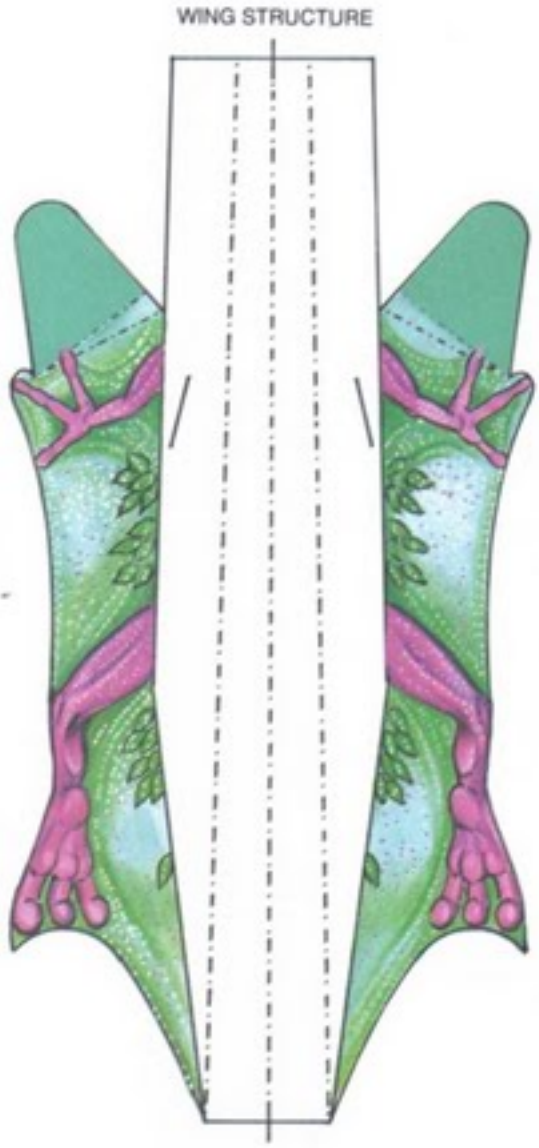
WOODY

(*Draconis sylva*)



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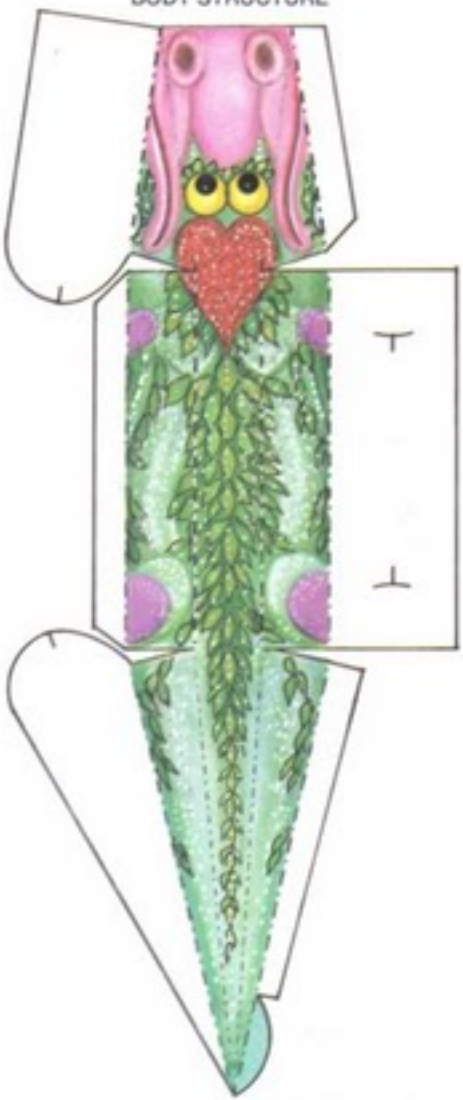

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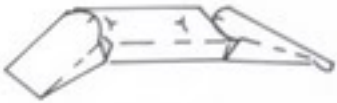

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STORMY

(*Draconis nimbus*)

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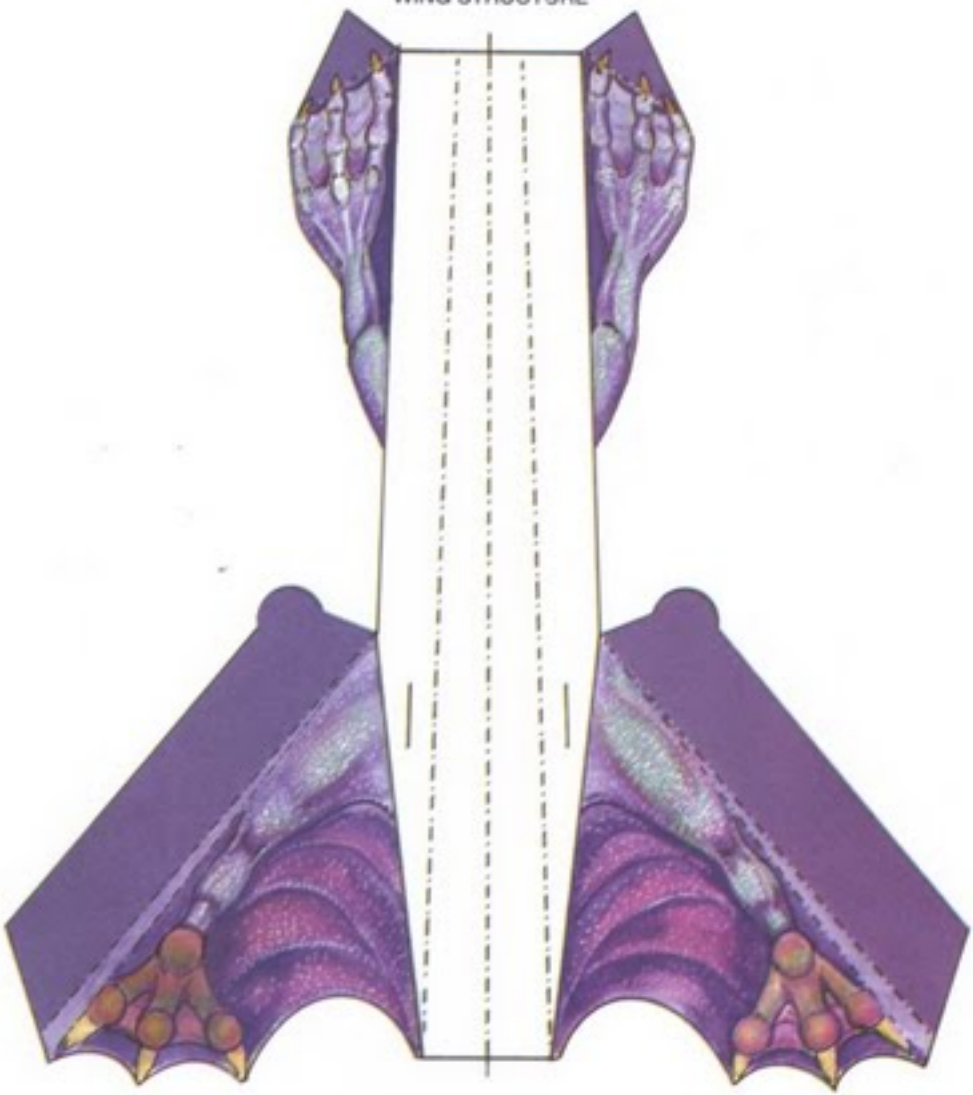

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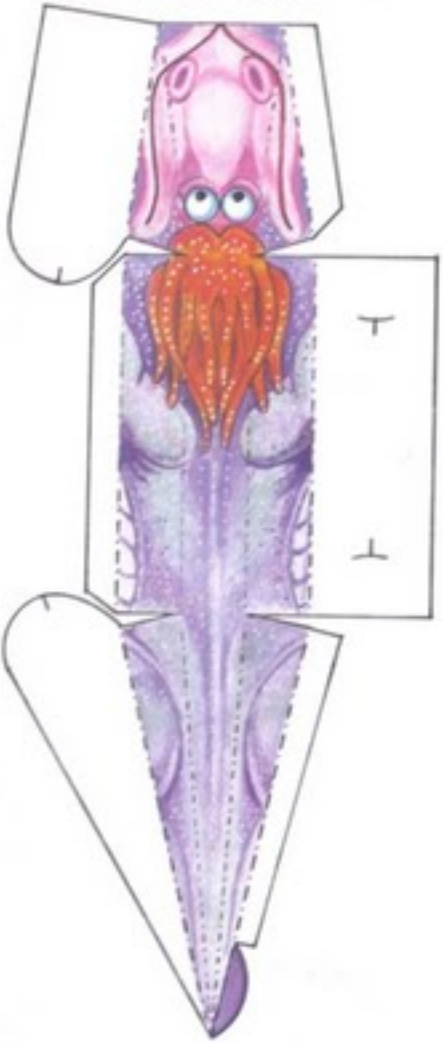

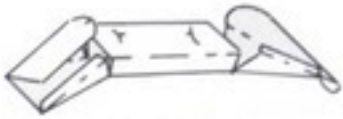

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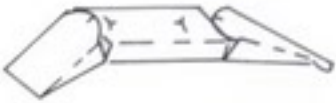

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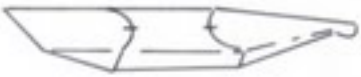

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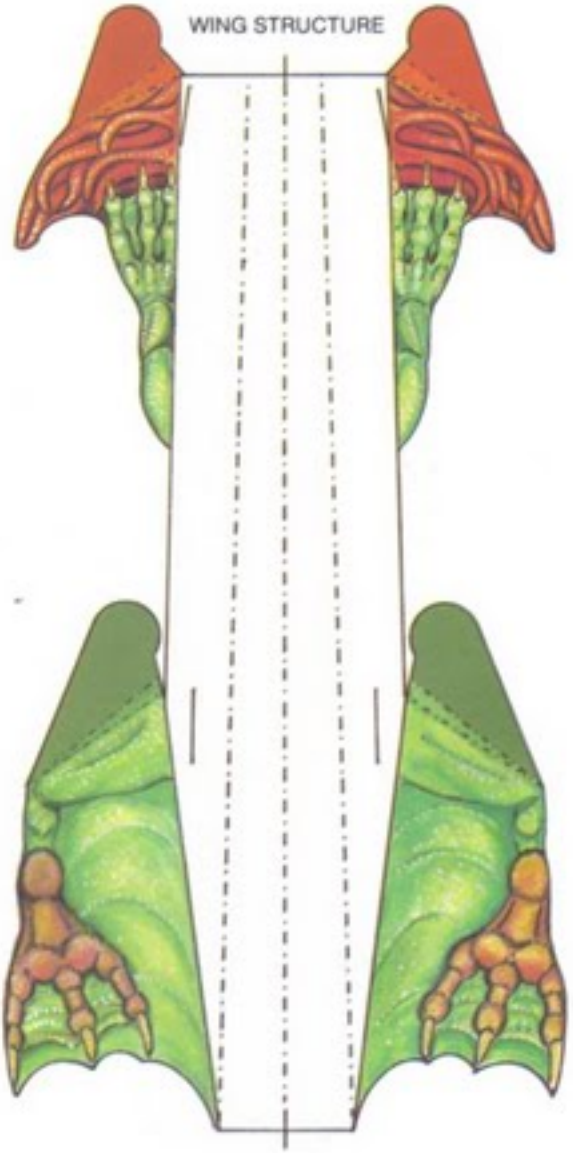
MEDUS

(*Draconis medusa*)



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6. Close and glue center section.

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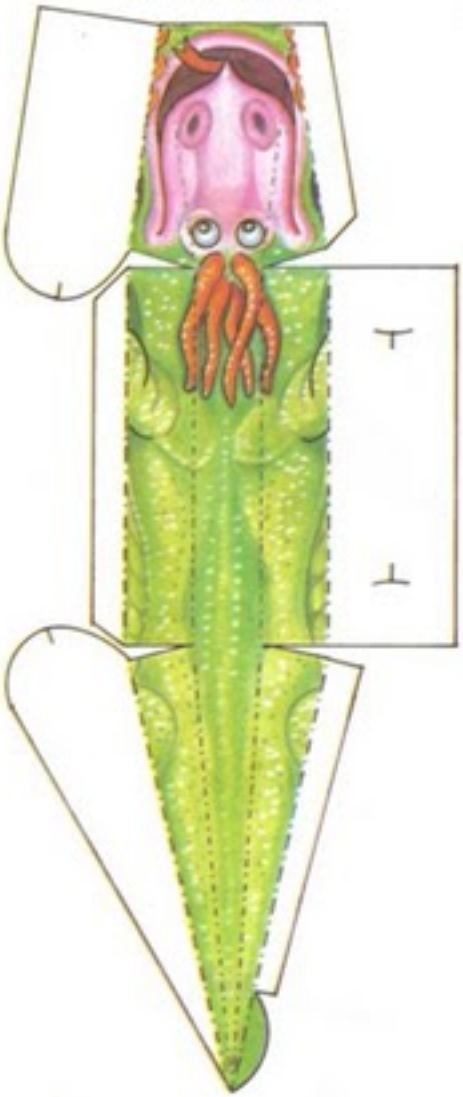

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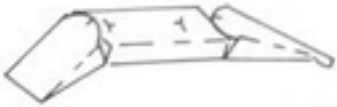

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AURIC

(*Draconis aurus*)

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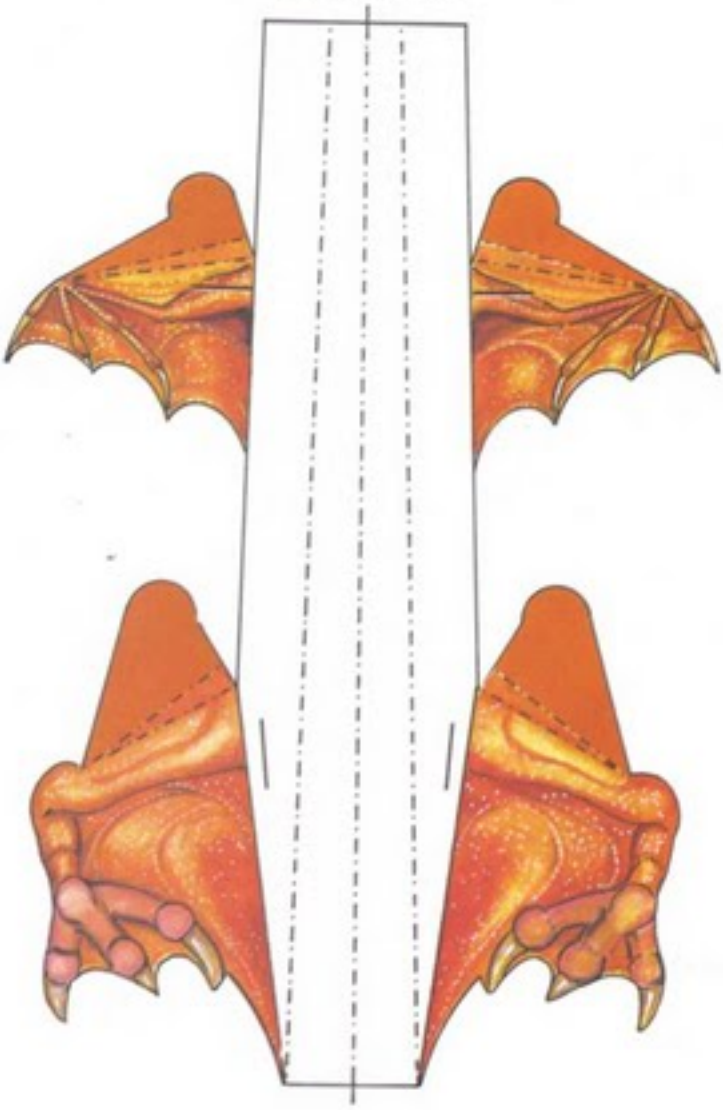

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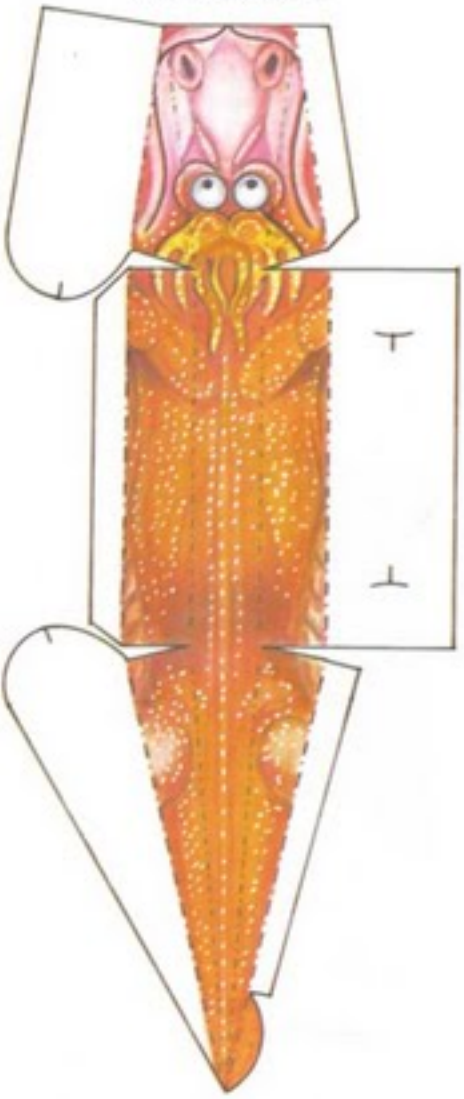

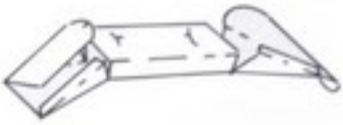

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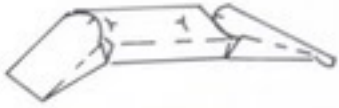

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By following simple step-by-step instructions and explanatory diagrams even the most inexperienced hands can fashion imaginative and delightfully harmless creatures such as the sky blue *Draconis zephyr*—otherwise known as Windy. Or, bring a bright green Woody (*Draconis sylva*) to life—along with such scaly companions as Sunny, Stormy and four other legendary creatures out of the past.

Simply cut out each wing and body structure, fold and score along broken lines with a straightedge and glue the parts together. Only a few common household items are needed: scissors, paper clips, a sharp knife and toothpicks or a fine brush (for applying glue).

Designed not only for flying, these serpentlike monsters of mythology also make eye-catching decorations and whimsical mobiles. Paper engineers, dragon lovers as well as youngsters of all ages can look forward to hours of fun-filled entertainment with this easily affordable collection.

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The materials and instructions for each of the eight DRAGONS occupy four pages. To take the first dragon ("Drak") as an example, page 1 contains its name, its "scientific" name and the topside face of its wing structure; page 2 contains the underside of its wing structure (which you will automatically cut out when you cut out the main face); page 3 contains its body structure; pages 3 and 4 contain the specific instructions and diagrams for assembling Drak. The corresponding parts of the next dragon are on pages 5 through 8, and so on.

Please note that at the top of page 3 you will find the list of supplies and the general instructions you will need for assembling *all* of the flying dragons in the book. So read that section first, and follow the instructions carefully before you do any cutting at all!

WARNING

Like any action toy, the models you will make from this book must be used carefully. Always make sure that you have a clear air space in front of you before flying, and *never* aim at a person or animal!

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